

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph bridging pages 48 and 49 to read as follows:

It is determined in step S22 whether the data recorded in the second part PA2 is encrypted data. When it is determined that the data is not encrypted data, the audio data recorded in the second part PA2 is determined as contents requiring no charging. In step S23, it is determined whether the data recorded in the second part PA2 should be reproduced or copied. In the case of regeneration of the data recorded in the second part PA2, the data is reproduced in step S24 free of charge. In the case of copying of the data, the data is copied in step ~~25~~ S25 free of charge.